

2171  
#2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re application of: Eric T. Bax, Charless C. Fowlkes, Louis Cisnero, Jr.  
Serial No. 09/728,689  
Filed: December 1, 2000  
For: **TECHNIQUE FOR EXTRACTING DATA FROM  
STRUCTURED DOCUMENTS**  
Examiner: Unassigned

**RECEIVED**

Unit: 2171


JUL 23 2001

Technology Center 2100

**TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER  
C.F.R. 1.97**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS	
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20231, ON	July 16, 2001 DATE
BY 	
ANN WEISS	
	July 16, 2001 (DATE OF SIGNATURE)

Applicants' attorney submits herewith the full text of the prior art (PTO Form 1449 attached) of which she is aware, that she believes may be material to the examination of this application and in respect of which there may be a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56.

The filing of this information disclosure statement shall not be construed as a representation that a search has been made (37 CFR 1.97(g)), an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability or that no other material information exists (37 CFR 1.97(h)). Further, the filing of this information disclosure statement shall not be construed as an admission against interest in any manner.

It is believed that this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted before the mailing of a first office action on the merits. However, the

Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required to Deposit Account

No. 50-1597.

Respectfully submitted,

By: *Denise L. McKenzie*  
Denise L. McKenzie  
Registration No. 43,790

SIDLEY AUSTIN BROWN & WOOD  
555 West Fifth Street  
Los Angeles, California 90013-1010  
Ofc: 213/ 896-6663  
Fax: 213/896-6600